



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

IACOVELLI et al.

Group Art Unit: 1772

Application No.: 09/698,265

Examiner: Rhee

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For: HEAVY DUTY VEHICLE FLOOR MAT

**NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS
AND INTERFERENCES AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

October 8, 2003

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Decision of the Primary Examiner dated May 15, 2003 finally rejecting claims 1-18.

The \$165.00 Appeal Fee is attached.

The shortened statutory period expiring on August 15, 2003, it is hereby requested that the period for response be extended for 2 months. Also included in our check is \$210.00 as payment of the fee for a 2 month extension of time for filing this Notice of Appeal.

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